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In re the Application of: KAWATA, Keiichi et al.

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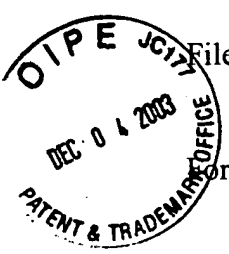
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated **September 5, 2003**, please amend the above-identified application as follows: